XIII Workshop of the



SILVA MEDITERRANEA WORKING GROUP ON URBAN AND PERI-URBAN FORESTRY



Zoom Virtual Meeting

26-27-28 April 2021, FAO, Rome, Italy

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the XIII Workshop of the *Silva Mediterranea Working Group on UPF*. Main objective of the meeting is to actively work in thematic working sessions with the coordinators of the different Task Forces to advance on the activities currently under development. The event will also represent an occasion to present relevant FAO urban forestry-related initiatives and programmes currently under development/implementation, including the FAO Green Cities Programme launched in 2018, and the Green Urban Oases Programme currently under development. A session dedicated to voluntary presentation will also be held on the third day of the workshop. Should you wish to propose a presentation, please note that there are still two slots available.

The event will be held online and host on the *Zoom platform*. Here is the link to register: https://fao.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwkcOyqpjgpG9WbvSzXtV3BYY jJNmfYQtk

Should you not be familiar with this tool, we invite you to access the tutorial available to this <u>link</u>. Should you not be able to access through *Zoom*, a link to connect through *Skype for Business* will also be provided.

Monday, 26 April 2021

Session 1

Time: 11.00-13.00 (Rome time)

Zoom link: received upon registration

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Agenda:

• 11.00-11.10: Introduction to the workshop

11.10-11.30: FAO updates – Ongoing relevant programmes and initiatives

• 11.30-13.00: Task force #3: Food4Cities – Led by Ms Paloma Cariñanos

Session 2

Time: 14.30-17.00 (Rome time)

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Agenda:

• 14.30-16.00: <u>Task force #2: Position paper</u> – *Led by Mr Fabio Salbitano*

16.00-17.00: <u>Task force #7: Indicators</u> – Led by Mr Artur Gonçalves

Tuesday, 27 April 2021

Session 3

Time: 11.00-13.00 (Rome time)

Zoom link: received upon registration

Password: silvamed13
Agenda of the session:

• 11.00-13.00: <u>Task force #5: Database for species selection</u> – *Led by Mr Alessio Fini*

Session 4

Time: 14.00-16.00 (Rome time)

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Agenda of the session:

• 14.00-15.00: <u>Task force #1: Thematic Brief Series</u> – Led by Ms Michela Conigliaro and Mr Simone Borelli

• 15.00-16.00: Urban Forestry in drylands: brainstorming session – Led by Simone Borelli

Wednesday, 28 April 2021

Session 5

Time: 11.00-13.00 (Rome time)

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Agenda of the session:

- 11.00-12.00: Voluntary presentations
 - AIRFRESH Project by Mr Pierre Sicard
 - ISPRA integrated assessment of urban environment by Ms Anna Chiesura
 - tbd
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- 12.00-12.30: Reporting from Task forces Coordinators and next steps
- 12.30-13.00: Closure and way forward

Useful links

Silva Mediterranea: http://www.fao.org/forestry/silva-mediterranea/en/
Silva Mediterranea WG on UPF: http://www.fao.org/forestry/silva-mediterranea/88929/en/
FAO UPF web page: http://www.fao.org/forestry/urbanforestry/en/